

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE

LAVONTE DOMINIQUE SIMMONS,)	
)	
Petitioner,)	
)	
v.)	No.: 3:23-CV-136-TAV-DCP
)	
VINCENT VANTELL,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

JUDGMENT ORDER

In accordance with the Memorandum Opinion entered herewith, this prisoner's pro se petition for writ of habeas corpus under 28 U.S.C. § 2254 [Doc. 1] is **DENIED**, and this action is **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE**. A certificate of appealability from this decision is **DENIED**.

Further, the Court **CERTIFIED** in its Memorandum Opinion that any appeal from this action would not be taken in good faith and would be totally frivolous, and therefore, Petitioner is **DENIED** leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* on any subsequent appeal. See Fed. R. App. P. 24.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/ Thomas A. Varlan
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

ENTERED AS A JUDGMENT:

/s/ LeAnna R. Wilson
CLERK OF COURT